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Applicant : Zervos et al. Art Unit : 1656
Serial No. : 09/245,549 Examiner : J. Tung
Filed : February 5, 1999
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Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

PETITION FOR TWO-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.136, applicant hereby petitions that the period for response to the action dated January 30, 2001, be extended for two months to and including July 30, 2001. A petition for an extension of time under 37 CFR §1.136 to extend the time to respond to the final rejection for 1 month(s) to and including May 30, 2001 was filed with the amendment and response on May 30, 2001. A check for \$110.00 was paid at that time. The extension fee was inadvertently paid at that time as large entity, even though Applicant qualified for small entity status.

Applicant qualifies for small entity status. Enclosed is a check for \$335.00 for the required fee, i.e., a three-month extension fee of \$445 minus \$110 previously paid. Please apply any other charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050.

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Respectfully submitted,

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